

# St. Benedict Parish

## St. John the Baptist Mission Church

Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe

Nov. 22-23, 2025

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### WEEKEND MASSES

\*St. Benedict Church  
Saturday 4:00 p.m.  
Sunday 8:00 a.m.

**Second Sunday Hawaiian**  
**Mass 8:00 a.m.**

\*St. John the Baptist  
Saturday 6:00 p.m.  
Sunday 10:00 a.m.

**3rd Sunday Pohnpei Choir**  
St Benedict

7:00 a.m. Tuesday- Friday

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Rev. William

**Quiamjot (kee-yam-hot)**  
**WEEKDAY MASSES**  
St. Benedict Honaunau 7:00 a.m.  
Tuesday through Friday  
**Confession at St. Benedict**  
**Saturday 10AM-12:00 Noon**

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## The Hero King

FR. JOSEPH JUKNIALIS

Some think of a myth as something once presumed to be true but discovered to be false. For example, we say it's a myth that Christopher Columbus discovered America. There is, however, another quite different meaning to "myth," as in a story that helps us understand life and how to negotiate it. Such myths are often centered around heroes who overcome great odds for the sake of the greater good. Star Wars and Luke Skywalker is one such myth. The Lord of the Rings trilogy and Frodo Baggins is another. These are myths capturing the need for courage and commitment to the good at the hero's own expense. We often find ourselves wishing we could be like these heroes. The biblical story of the Hebrew people can be thought of as such a myth, culminating in the story of Jesus. It differs from those other myths in that this story is not fiction. It is a saga that helps us understand and negotiate life as we live it. It culminates with the sacrificial death of the one we call King of the Universe. This King is a servant-king, one who gives his life for us so that we might live. Despite being urged by religious leaders and soldiers and the thief on the cross to save himself, he resists. Saving himself is not what he is about. Jesus is the King whose true myth we tell whenever we come together. ● Printed with Permission of Liguori

**Processional: #463 Hail Redeemer, King Devine**

**Mass Setting: #185 including Eat This Bread**

**Responsorial Psalm: Let us go rejoicing to the house of the Lord.**

**Presentation of Gifts: #754 Worthy is the Lamb**

**Communion: #801 Unless a Grain of Wheat**

**Recessional: #458 Alleluia, sing to Jesus**

# Jesus, the King of Merciful Love

Today is the last Sunday of the liturgical year. It is appropriate that, on this day, we proclaim Jesus Christ not only as our personal Lord and King, but also as "King of the Universe." He is King by birth because He is the Son of the Eternal Father from whom all kingly power derives. He is also King by conquest, for He triumphed over sin and death through His glorious resurrection. He should also be King by acclamation as we proclaim with our voices and our lives that He is, indeed, our Savior and our King. On this Solemnity of Christ, the King, which is the last Sunday of the liturgical year, we thank Him for the innumerable spiritual graces He has given us in this year about to end. Let our Eucharist today, then, be a hymn of gratitude to Jesus, the only King of our hearts, and a renewal of our allegiance to Him.

## First Reading from the Second Book of the Prophet Samuel 5:1-3

The proclamation of David as "King of Israel" foreshadows the enthronement of Jesus Christ, the descendant of David, as the eternal "King of the Universe."

## Second Reading from the Letter of Paul to the Colossians 1:12-20

In his Letter to the Colossians, St. Paul immortalized for all Christian generations the absolute preeminence of God's incarnate Son, the King of the Universe.

## Gospel Luke 23:35-43

While agonizing on the cross, Jesus shows that He is indeed the "King of Heaven and Earth." He exercises His kingly power by opening wide the gates of heaven to sinful humankind, represented by the repentant thief.

## FOR STRENGTH AND HEALING, FAITHFULLY WE ASK, HEAR OUR PRAYERS...

\*Kathy Wood      \*Craig Camello  
\*Pam Shultise      \*Merla Kline  
\*Paul Ruskey      \*Susan Keen  
\*Carla Vonderahe      \*Mahina Kaupiko  
\*John Sanchis      \*Kamala Galletes  
\*Hank Silva      \*Deb Reed      \*Miriam Janczak  
\*Joevelyn Delas Reyes      \*Gloria Grapa  
\*A Friend      \*Gwen Menchaca  
\*William Anderson      \*Elizabeth Aw

## Mass intentions November 22-23, 2025

### SAT

4:00 PM Morgan Berry-Continued blessings

6:00 PM +Alex Candang

### SUN

8:00 AM +Maria Dolores Spencer

10:00 AM +Walter & Sean Lochmiller

## November 25-28

Tues. Misa Pro Populo

Wed. Reb & DJ Agnes Anniversary

Thurs. Reb & DJ Agnes Anniversary

Fri. +Mark and Mimi Brauvi

## Stewardship of Treasure

Thank you for your generosity!

Week of Nov. 15-16, 2025

\$ 2313.00 Collection

415.00 Maintenance

180.00 Food Pantry

25.00 CCHD

\$ 2933.00 Total

## Attendance

St. Benedict 53 2

St. John 76 6

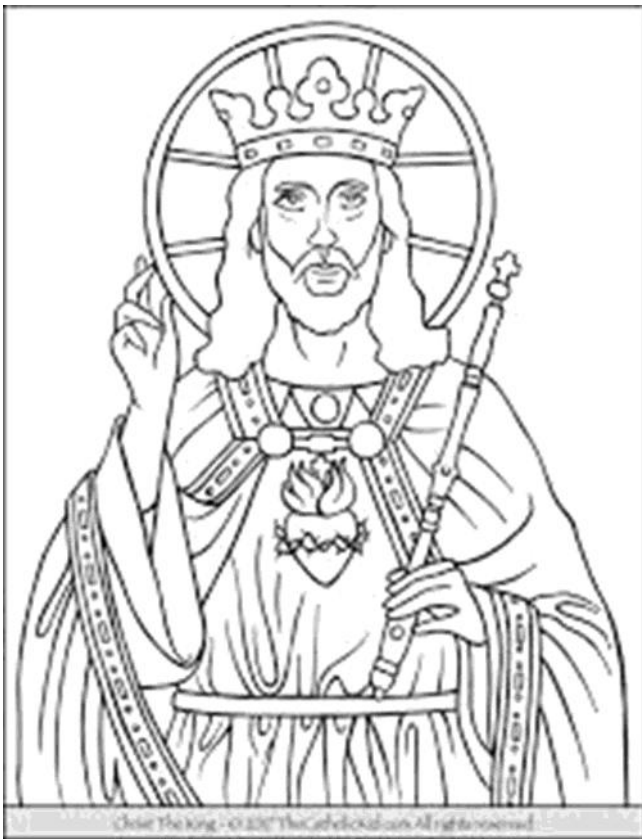
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## ANNOUNCEMENTS

**NOV 24, Monday, 6:30, A General Assembly for the Pastoral Visit of our Vicar Forane, Fr. Lio. We will also evaluate our 24-25 Annual Parish progress using our Revised Pastoral Plan. All are expected to attend including Committee & Council members.**

To buy your St. Benedict T-Shirt which benefits the parking lot fund, please call

**Susan Kim @ 808-938-9726**

**Nov. 27 St. Benedict Church 8:00 Thanksgiving Day Mass**  
Office will be closed Thursday & Friday this week. Office is always closed on Mondays.

**November 29 & 30 First Sunday of Advent**

**Dec. 9th, 10-12 noon, St. Michael's Vicariate Meeting**

**BULLETINS and announcements are posted at**  
**[www.thepaintedchurchhawaii.org](http://www.thepaintedchurchhawaii.org)**

**Special invitation after Saturday and Sunday at St. Benedicts!! Come to the St. Benedict Chapel to see the latest blessing we received last Thursday. Selene did her magic and well.....come and see. St. John community come down Tuesday or Wed. this week, and I will have it open. Pictures next week!**



**MONDAY** November 24  
St. Andrew Dũng Lạc, Priest,  
& Companions, Martyrs  
Dn 1:1-6, 8-20 Lk 21:1-4

**TUESDAY** November 25  
Weekday Dn 2:31-45 Lk  
21:5-11

**WED.** Nov. 26 Weekday  
Dn 5:1-6, 13-14, 16-17, 23-  
28 Lk 21:12-19

**THURSDAY** November 27  
Thanksgiving Day Sir 50:22-  
24 1 Cor 1:3-9 Lk 17:11-19

**FRIDAY** November 28 Week-  
day Dn 7:2-14 Lk 21:29-33

**SATURDAY** Nov. 29 Weekday  
Dn 7:15-27 Lk 21:34-36

**SUNDAY** November 30  
First Sunday of Advent  
21:34-36 Is 2:1-5 Rom  
13:11-14 Mt 24:37-44



**St. Benedict Cord Rosary**  
**New Gift Shop**

## Our Lord Jesus Christ King of the Universe



### Treasure Hunt

[*Luke 23:35-43, 2 Samuel 5:1-3 and Col 1:12-20*]

1. What is the **setting** of Luke's Gospel today?
2. The Jewish leaders gave Jesus the **title** of "\_\_\_\_\_", while the repenting thief at His side called Him "\_\_\_\_\_."
3. The repenting thief shows us **THE PROMISE** of acknowledging our sins and asking for forgiveness. What is that promise?
4. The thief at Jesus' side who rebuked Him had **NO** \_\_\_\_\_.
5. We know that Jesus did not "save Himself" from death? What then, was the **PURPOSE** of his dying on the cross?
6. For what two (2) reasons did the tribes of Israel anoint David to be the King of Israel?
7. In St. Paul's letter to the Colossians, what **title** did he (Paul) use to emphasize Jesus' supremacy over all creation?

#### Answers to Last Week's Treasure Hunt

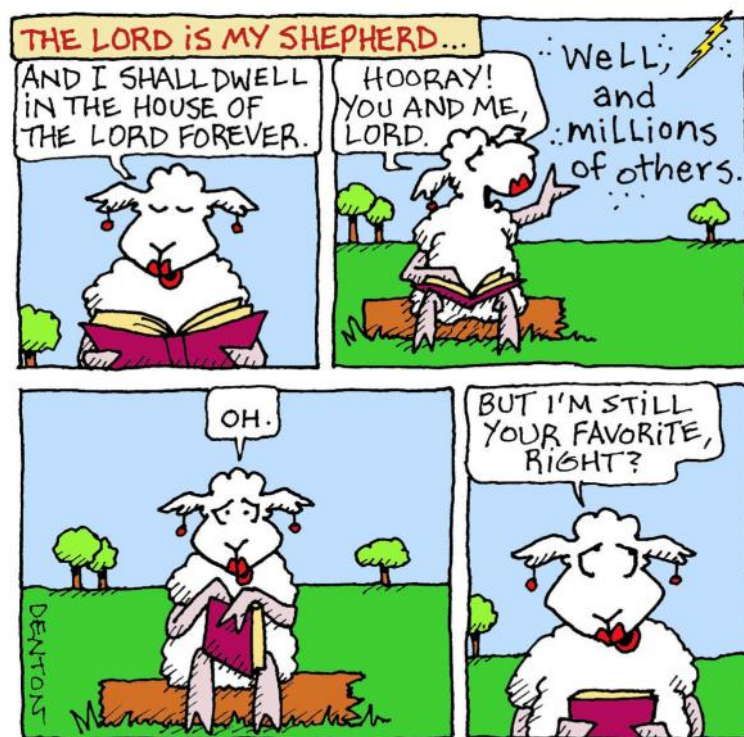
#### Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

**-1-** "the days will come when there will not be left a stone upon another ..."; **-2-** one who deceives others in the name of Jesus; **-3- F** (false); **-4-** Jesus gives a "wisdom in speaking" and perseverance; **-5-** blazing fire turns them into ashes, healing rays from "the sun of justice" warm them; **-6-** : keep busy and mind your own business.

Treasure Hunt is created by Georgia Goeas, a member of St. John and St. Benedict and is printed with her permission.

DEAR VISITOR TO ST. BENEDICT CATHOLIC CHURCH,  
ALOHA! THANK YOU FOR VISITING US TODAY!

WE WISH YOU A BEAUTIFUL EXPERIENCE AND THAT YOU LEAVE ST. BENEDICT'S, TODAY, REFRESHED IN SPIRIT AND WITH PEACE IN YOUR HEART! SINCE THE EARLY DAYS OF THE CHURCH, IT HAS BEEN A CATHOLIC TRADITION TO OFFER A "MASS INTENTION". THIS IS A WAY OF REMEMBERING A PERSON AND LIFTING THEM UP IN PRAYER. YOU MAY ASK THE GREETER FOR A FORM AND ENVELOPE.



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"Jesus, remember me when you come  
into your kingdom."

### Sheepish Question:

What is my place in God's house?



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